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FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE,

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> and expense. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hougkong, August 2, 1880.

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> SINGAPORE. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above O Steamer are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned

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Hongkong, August 2, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

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Undersigned, and take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense by MEYER & Co.,

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COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES,

NOTION TO CONSIGNMES,

Madden, Master, will load here for the above Port, and ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

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> By Order of the Board of Directors, LOUIS HAUSCHILD. Secretary. Hongkong, July 29, 1880.

CORPORATION. NOTICE is hereby given, that the Ordinary Half-Yearly MÉETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in this Corporation will be Held at the CITY HALL, Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 16th day of August next, at THREE o'CLOCK p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the

The DWELLING HOUSES-Nos. 31 By Order of the Court of Directors, T, JACKSON, Chief Manager, Hongkong, July 29, 1880.

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NOTICE.

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IN LIQUIDATION.

Liquidators, on FRIDAY, 9th July.

By Order,

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Hongkong, July 22, 1680.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship Captain Beadle, will load here for the above Port, and will

Hongkong, June 19, 1880.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, June 18, 1880.

The A 1 British Ship
"Clydesdale,"
HATFIELD, Master, will load
here for the above Port, and

Notices to Consignees.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk

STEAM FOR MANILA, MACASSAR, FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND

"Nijni Novgorod,"
shortly due, will load
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"Clifton,"
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> Agents. Hongkong, August 2, 1880. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. GERMAN BARK "NIAGARA," FROM

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Hongkong, July 29, 1880.

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Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament. ESTABLISHED 1809.

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Agents. Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

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THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premia. NORTON & Co.,

Hongkonz, January 1, 1874.

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HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, Two Millions Stealing.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fund upwards of £ 120,000 Annual Income £ 250,000

THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1963.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG. GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Salgon and Penang. Rinks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at

the above mentioned Ports. NO CHARGE FOR POLICY PEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE.

MARITIMES.



MITSU BISHI MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE AND INLAND SEA

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain HUBINET, due here on or about the 2nd August, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 7th August, at Day.

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 6th August. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they

will not be recognized. RATES OF PASSAGE. To KOBE......Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. " Уоконама & } Do. \$75. Do. NAGASAKI...

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN CABIN PASSAGES. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobe. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, No. 50A, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, July 26, 1880.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANC, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND AUSTRALIA.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship PEKIN, Captain ROBBIE, will leave this on MONDAY, the 9th August, at 5 pm. For further Particulars, apply to A. MolVER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, July 27, 1880. U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA VERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUGHING AT YOROHAMA, AND SAM FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mall Steamship CITY OF TOKIO will be despatched for an Transform via Volgheyes .. ar WEINES. Cansengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through bills of Lading launed for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States via Overland Railways, to Havana, Trinidad, and Demerara, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America by the Company's and connecting Steamers. Through Passage Tickets granted to

England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers. Freight will be received on board until 2 p.m., the 10th August. Parcel Packagor will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same

Consular Invoices to accompany Overladn Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co , Agents. Hongkong, July 26, 1880.

Notices to Consignees.

NETHERLANDS IND'A STEAM

NAVIGATION COMPANY. FROM BATAVIA, SAMARANG, SOU-

RABAYA, MACASSAR, GORONTALO AND MANILA. TIME Steamship Atjeh having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of

Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countereignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, July 81, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. AMERICAN SHIP "ROSIE WELT," FROM ANTWERP.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Versel will be landed and stored at Consigness' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

 $oldsymbol{A}$ gents. Hongkong, July 26, 1880.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR LONDON FIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship " Priam." Captain S. H. BUILER, will be despatched on or about the 20th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents, Hongkong, August 3, 1880.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

DEPARTURES.

3, Peng chou hai, Chinese gunboat,

for Cheongchow.

CLEARED.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Sin Kee, and 7 Chinese; from Salgon,

Mechain, and 43 Chinese. - For Yokohama:

DEPARTED.

Per Fokien, for Amoy, &c., 59 Chinese,

TO DEPART.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

None.

CARGO.

Per S. S. Hjemnah, sailed 2nd August :-

For Continent, 3,184 bales Silk, 118 bales

Waste Silk, 22 cases Silks, 320 bales Co-

coons, 2.131 chests, 335 boxes, 771 3-chests

and 1,859 pkgs. Tea, and 376 pkgs. Sun-

dries -For London, 1,627 bales Silk, 1

bale Waste Silk, 137 boxes, 8,260 & chests,

1,860 cheats and 1,187 pkgs. Toa, 4 cases

Silks, 1 case Treasure (\$2,700), and 14

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOOCHOW.-

Per Namoa, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow,

FOR FORT DARWIN, ADELAIDE, MEL-

For HOIHOW, PAKHOL, AND HAL-

Per Hainan, at 4.30 p.m. To-morrow,

inst. Registry ceases at 4.15 p.m.

Mail closes at 4.30 p.m. Paid Corre-

spondence may then be posted in the

moveable box on board the Packet.

Per Diamante, at 11.30 a.m., on Thurs-

Per Quinta, at 5 p.m., on Wednesday,

Per Danube, at 5 p.m., on Thursday, the

For STRAITS SETTLEMENTS AND

Per Geelong, at 8.80 p.m., on Friday, the

Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday,

For NAGASAKI AND YOKOHAMA .--

late fee till time of departure.

better to send it via Galle.

for forwardin Correspondence to Mau-

ritius, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Helena,

N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the

which will be closed as follows :--

Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay

Hongkong, July 16, 1880.

and Ascension.

6th August, instead of as previously

the 4th inst., instead of as previous-

moveable box on board the Packet.

Per Thales, at 3 p.m. To-morrow, the

4th inst., instead of as previously

BOURNE, SYDNEY, &c.-

the 4th inst, instead of as previous-

MAILS will close:-

ly notified.

notified.

PHONG.-

the 4th inst.

4th inst.

For YOKOHAMA.-

For SHANGHAL.

For MANILA.-

For SAIGON .-

day, the 5th inst.

ly notified.

For BANGKOK. -

BOMBAY.—

For JAPAN via KOBE .-

the 6th August.

the 10th August.

2,15 p.m.

Per Namoa, for Coast Ports, 3 Euro-

Per Amoy, for Shanghai, 9 Chinese.

Per Oxus, for Hongkong: from Singapore,

3, Atjeh, for Amoy.

Agenor, for Hoilo.

Namoa, for Coast Ports.

Valley Forge, for Manila.

Singapore, Mr Kuneman.

pkga. Sundries.

3, Elcano, for Mavila.

3, Amoy, for Shanghal.

Aug. 3, Oxus, French steamer, 3770, COMPAGNIR DES MESSAGERIES Rapatel, Marseilles Jone 28, Naples 30, Prt Said July 4, Suez 5, Aden 11, Galle 19, Singapore 26, and Saigon 30, Mails and PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. General.—MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Co.'s Steamship Commandant GUIRAND, will be despatched for Aug. 3, Fokien, for Amoy, &c. YOKOdaMa on WEDNESD/Y, the 4th G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, August 3, 1880. NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS! The Co.'s Steamship

Mess's Choog Hing, Hop Hing, Sim Was, Commandant RAPATEL, will be despatched for SHANG-IAI on THURSDAY, the 5th Fosurs Benjamin and Joseph, Miss P. Instant, at Daylight. G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agens.

FOR MANILA. The Steamship

" Diamonte." peans, and 300 Chinese. Captain Cullen, will be despatched for the above Port on THURSDAY, the 5th Instant, at Noon, instead of as previously notified. For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, August 3, 1880.

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. (Taking Cargo at through rates for NEW YORK and HAMBURG) The Steamship

"Glengyle,"
Captain E. NORMAN, will
be despatched as above on or about the 16th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, August 3, 1880. STEAMSHIP "OXUS." COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

NOTICE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship U Indus, from Londou, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before 9 a.m. To-Morrow, request-

ing it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Turs-DAY, the 10th Inst, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent. Hongkong, August 8, 1880.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR IGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSKILLES;

PONDIOHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

ON MONDAY, the 16th day of August, 1880, at Noon, the Company's 8. 8. AMAZONE, Commandant Lormier, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the bove places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and socepted in transit through Marselles for MAILS BY THE TORRES STRAITS PACKET .the principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted until Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 15th of August, 1880. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.) Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, August 3, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET .any Debt contracted by the Officers or The British Contract Packet Peking Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:-CILURNOM, British ship, Capt. Beadle.-Wieler & Co.

CLIFTON, British barque, Capt. Davies .-Rozario & Co. GENERAL FARCEILD, American barque, Capt. David Kelly .- Melchers & Co. VALLEY FORGE, American ship, Captain Uriol Doane.-Captein,

Australian Colonies. Belien Marion, British Sarque, Captain Roberts.-P. & O. S. N. Co. MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. ARGO, British barque, Captain William Wrightson.—: hinese. The United States Mail Packet City Tokio, will be despatched on WED-ROSIE WELT, American ship, Capt. O. C. NESDAY, the 11th Aug., with Mails Welt.-Arubold, Karberg & Co. for Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canads, Honolulu, Peru, &co. HERMAN LEHONKUHL, Norwegian ship, Capt. S. Troye .- Douglas Lapraik & Co.

AZEXA, British barque, Captain George 0.15 p.m.—Registry ceases. Robb, -- Order. 0.80 P.M. -- Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may JOHN R. STANHOPE, American barque, Capt. H. G. Pillsbury,-Order. he posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 vents extra Postage Annte S. Hall, American barkentine. until the time of departure. Capt. Chas. B. Nelson.-Wieler & Co. Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies (except the Bahamas and Hayti).

LULU, British 3 m. schr., Capt. James Mahor .- Order. CHARLES TOWNSEND HOOK, Brit. steamer, cannot be sent by this route. Capt. W. H. Bradley .- Eduard Scheilhass Hongkong, July 26, 1880.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Notice of optional cargo per Ozus to be given before 9 a.m. 10 a.m. - Namoa leaves for Coast Ports. Noon.-Thales leaves for Port Darwin,

Adelside, &c. 5 p.m.—Hainan leaves for Hoihow, &c. 5 p.m.—Volga leaves for Yekohama. Miscellaneous.

Register of Shares of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, closed from this date to 16th August, inalusive.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, August 5:-Daylight. - Oxus leaves for Shanghal. Noon .- Diamante leaves for Manila. SATURDAY, August 7:-

Yokohama, &c. date subject to rent. MONDAY, August 9:-

Daylight .- Miteu Bishi Mail leaves for

2 p.m.—Brisbane leaves for Singapore, Brisbane, &c. 5 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. from Naples, Mr Georg Liebsister; from URIDAY, August 10 :-

Goods per Oxus undelivered after Noon, subject to rent and landing charges. WEDNESDAY, August 11 :--1 p.m.-American Mail leaves for Yokohama and San Fraucisco. Monday, August 16:-

Noon. - French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. 3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation at the City Hall.

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continuous European Supervision. Hongkong, Jane 1, 1876. PASSENGERS arriving in Hongkong, or any directly connected with the Executive, other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, China, Japan, lian newspapers, are invited to call at | Has the natural order of things been Per Conquest, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the Per S. S. Volga, To-morrow, the 4th

MARRIAGE. On the 8th June, at St. Mary's, Kingston, by the Rev. E. Jacob, M.A., LEWIS MONTinst. Registry ceases at 4.45 p.m. est Son of Colonel L. F. Hall, Command-Mail closes at 5 p.m. Late Let- ant R.A., Hongkong, to Annie Blanche, ters received from 5.10 to 5.30 with | third Daughter of Captain John Symons, 10 cents Late Fee. Paid Correspond- Royal Navy, Southsea. ence may then be posted in the

DEATHS. On the 20th June, suddenly, at Fort Augustus, N.B., HENRY HYNDMAN KEN-NEDY, of Nairn, late of Shanghai. On the 17th June, at Elizabeth College, eldest Son of Sir Walter Medhurst, late H.B.M.'s Consul at Shanghai, aged 17

The publication of this issue commenced

China Mail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1880 Ir has been said that one of the screet points in the present wrangle between the Chief Justice and the Registrar is contained in the complimentary but emphatic remark addressed to the Regis-Per Malacca, at 11.30 a.m., on Tuesday, trar by His Lordship, "You are my clerk." Apart from the careful evasion of anything like consideration shown by the observation, there is contained The Australian Contract Packet Brisbane, the phrase one of those contradictions for will be despatched from Hongkong, on which eminent public men are occasion-SATURDAY, the 7th August, with Mails for Singapore, Thursday Island, ally responsible. If one thing can be Cooktown, Cleveland Bay, Bowen, said to have been more emphatically Keppel Bay, Brisbane, Sydney, Taslaid down than another by the learned mania, New Zealand, Fiji, and Mel-Chief Justice during the last two years, it is this,—that he is not the responsible Correspondence cannot be Registered after head of the Registrar's or Court'smachinery Department, Everything The Mails will be closed at 2.30 p.m. Supjudicial comes, of course, directly under plementary mail on board with 10 cents the cognisance of the presiding Judge. But the Registrar is an officer who acts, Correspondence for Southern and Western Australia can be sent by this route if de ired, but as a general rule it is as the head of a Department of the Government. The Chief Justice is supwill be despatched on MONDAX the 9th August, with Malls to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits view, the judicial feathers of the Bench

of independence from a discretionary or constructive point of view, more than rule. In many things, he is, or twenty-six vagationds, who were conought to be, independent and rest cerned in the daring piratical plot conponsible; in other things, he must ceived and arranged against the steamer act with the sauction and direction of the Bowen, which only by the merest freak Chief Justice. But when the discretion of Fortune was kept from a successful that is implied fails to make itself felt, execution, were discharged yesterthe relations of the Court and its Re- day by the Magistrate. Miscreants to gistrar assuming those of-the existing that number, who fear neither the law state of affairs, it is difficult to draw the of God nor man, who would not have lines of responsibility, rights and discre- liesitated for a moment to foully murder tion. Our readers well know the condi- every man, woman, and child, on board tion of the Registrar's side of the Court that steamer, so that they might carry business during the few years preceding out their netarious scheme for robbing Mr Gibbons' arrival, and they will also the passengers of the large amount of be fairly alive to the energetic way gold they had and of piratically plunderin which every one in Government ing and stealing that vessel, have been

Lordship the Chief Justice was suprem head of the Judicial Department during most of this eventful past; and if the man who wrought all the mischief during these luckless times was his "clerk," the question arises, How does this fact affect the question of responsibility. If the Court now says "you are my clerk," the present Registrar holding a more important and responsible position than that held by Mr Huffam, is the Court not responsible in a very large degree for much that was done under the Lyall Still feats of mysterious disappearance? Of course, as the Court has now laid down the theory that the Registrar of the Supreme Court is nothing more than the Clerk of the presiding Judge, it is not for poor mortals like

ourselves to gainsay the statement. But

the public, and probably also the Govern-

ment is now labouring to arrive at some settlement as to who may most reasonably be saddled with responsibility for the loss Goods per Japan undelivered after this of public moneys by Court irregularities, and every utterance from the Bench bearing upon that point is closely analysed. The proposal made in these columns was that the money stolen should be refunded by the Government, in order that the spotless reputation of the British Courts here should be maintained before the eyes of the world, Asiatic as well as European. But it has been elsowhere suggested that a personal responsibility and liability may be established. For the sake of the learned Chief Justice himself, therefore, we may indulge the hope that his definition of the Registrar's position is not the product of that calm and well-balanced judicial mind which a dictum from the Bench ought to be. Indeed, the utterances of the Chief Justice in other places at other times do not appear to bear out his observation that Mr Gibbons "is his clerk," and nothing more. He is re-

ported to have said in the Legislative Council, that, so far as the Supreme Court was concerned, "he had no patronage or promotion to bestow; he had the right to apportion the duties to some extent, but when he did that it was said he was interfering, and leaving his own field, which was judicial." And again, His Lordship is credited with having said,-"I remember telling Mr Plunket when he came here that four times my present salary would not induce me to_ become Registrar. I would lose the situation within six months certain. I am not an accountant; it is no part of my education to be an accountant. A judge, it has been said, ought not to know that two and two do not make five." It has hitherto been supposed that the monetary department (so to speak) of the Supreme Court has been while the Judicial has been kept care-

fully separated from the Government. the "OHINA MAIL" Office, where over | changed; and is the Chief Justice more sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, of an accountant or a supervisor of acfrom these countries, are now filed for | counts than formerly? If this be so, Mr Gibbons may be Sir John Smale's clerk; if it is not so, Sir John has given to us and to the public a most incorrect definition of the Registrar's position. THE Hongkong Government Gazette is getting to be decidedly interestingalmost what some, people call "spicey." In last night's issue we gave the essence of a sc-called "Report of the Superintendent of Gardens and Plantations," which, it is stated, is published "for

general information." This document is Guernsey, very suddenly, Walter Nowell, dated 16th October of last year-nine months ago. Loking at the paper referred to, apart from the difference which arose between the Surveyor General's and the Gardens Departments, two things appear strange. First, Mr Ford, whose skill as a Superintendent of Gardens and Plantations is acknowledged, has here distinguished himself as a scathing analyst of motives and wielder of the literary club in a manner for which no one would have ever given him credit, had his honest name not been printed in full at the end of the lively libel referred to. Secondly, of the four and a half pages devoted to this so-called report, how much was written to promote Tree planting and how much to do official damage to the Surveyor General? The publication of this curious document is, of course the act of the Governor, and need not be laid at Mr Ford's door. Had Mr Price not come

within the influence of His Excellency's supreme displeasure, in a greater degree than he ever enjoyed the sunshine of the great man's favour, it is very doubtful whether the public would ever have been favoured with the spectacle of this "dirty-linen washing" here given to the world. At the beginning of the "confusion" alluded to in the report, the Governor was as much in favour of the Surveyor General's views as he seems now to be against them. under direct law and special provisions, But a change came over the spirit of the in so many various ways independently of official dream; and, metaphorically, "my the Court, that he may fairly be regarded hon, friend" took a back seat. We think Mr Ford was right, and Mr Price was wrong; but where is the raison d'être of posed to move in an atmosphere far the linen-washing? If it be part of the removed from the Government, or the "case" against Mr Price, then it is not Colonial Secretary's Office; and if the only unnouseary but manifestly unjust Attorney General suggests for a moment to give it publicity at the present time, that the Executive takes this or that Verily, the editing of the Gazette is a great mystery, and the power possessed Settlements, Batavia, Burmab, Ceylon, at once assume an angle of forty-five by the Governor of a Crown Colony is India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib- degrees. It may be admitted that the a thing which ought to be wielded by raltar. This is the best opportunity Registrar of the Court occupies a position impartial and blind folded Justice. that of hard and fast lines of official IT is extremely unfortunate that the

pay has endeavoured to show that he cost loose upon society through what we had nothing whatever to do with the cannot help characterising as a grave withdrawal of certain public moneys miscarriage of Justice. There has been auli from the Treasury and the Bank. His an opinion energetically spread, as

made too much of, that the poor innocent with to His Excellency; and such "lambs" have been hardly treated all Chinese not finding such security throughout, and that the feeling which shall be deemed a person dangerous has been engendered concerning this to the peace of the Colony within death, the jury returned a unanimous vercase was the "outcome of that lament- the meaning of Ordinance No. 9 of diet of "accidental death." able prejudice of the European colonists 1857." The Ordinance of the previous against the Chinese as a race or a class year referred to in the above runs to the The case of a man named Williams who was here which is so unhappy and so pro- effect that "His Excellency in Council minent an element in the constitution may by order under his hand, prohibit of this Colony,—a prejudice, too, which any person not being a natural-born or has been largely at all times raised but naturalised subject of Her Majesty from particularly in this case fostered and residing or being within this Colony idea abroad that the Acting Police Magiencouraged by the rabid anti-Chinese during any space of time not exceeding strate exceeded his power, and that six ment. ravings of the China Mail newspaper, five years," and by Section 11 of No. 4 alike in its leading or editorial articles of 1871, ("an ordinance to amend the and in its reports of public affairs." Laws relating to persons dangerous to Those who know Mr Francis will under- | the peace and good order of the Colony" stand what attention is to be given to it is further provided that His Excellency any mean hidden suggestion that in his in Council," may by the same or any magisterial capacity he might, could, subsequent order under his hand fix the No. 4 of 1865 is as follows:would, or should have been influenced | time for the departure of such person by such an opinion, whoever it came from the Colony." The section followfrom and however carefully it may have | ing that quoted above provides, as a been pronounced as if with a view to penalty for disobedience to or violation mislead him away from that standpoint of order of banishment, which is that he from which alone the points of the case | shall be adjudged "guilty of a miscould be properly surveyed. We should | demeanour and upon conviction thereof ourselves be slow indeed to give such a before the Supreme Court shall be liable any of them, which we now refer to, were suggestion the slightest regard; but to imprisonment with or without hard we must say that we are surprised and labour for any period not exceeding one disappointed in the extreme at the course | year," the Magistrate by the same Mr Francis has adopted in dealing with section being given power to deal prisoner entirely outside the pale of pity the twenty-six scoundrels he had before summarily with the case in all cases him yesterday. He has not shown, we where the prisoner shall plead guilty to sentence passed which night have struck arrival in London on the 21st inst. we where who have been so largely affected by Stansfeld. That right hon, gentleman is believe, that regard for public safety, such charge, instead of committing the that appreciation of the high duty prisoner for trial at the Supreme Court. and privilege of a Magistrate, to be Taking the whole facts as we have a terror to evil-doers, that might have them before us, and as the Court had been expected from a man occupy- them before it, we say of ourselves, and ing the responsible position he holds the community generally believes innow for a time; and he has also dependently of us, that the case was one evinced, as we read it, a disregard for in which the Law should have been the Law on the subject, (we will not | carried out in its entirety and with the say an ignorance of it) which somewhat | utmost severity. As it is, the prosecuastounds us. The facts of the case are tion has proved a miserable fiasco; still fresh in the minds of our readers; decision has been given, as we believe it is not necessary to recapitulate them | contrary to law and contrary to justice; here in their entirety. We shall forsake and it is one that must do grievous the full narrative form and shall give harm, encouraging the lawless marauonly those of them necessary to our ders to higher flights and bolder and argument, that is those which alone more bloody schemes, and destroying ought to have been sufficient ground for utterly the confidence of traders and pasany Magistrate recommending to the Go- sengers in these seas, which was just | those who respectively brought and sup | with their respective suites. vernor the deportation of these men for a coming to be established. term of five years, in default of their finding security to appear to answer any charge to be made against them in respect of their recent remarkably suspicious proceedings. We make bold to say that there is not one Magistrate who has held a seat upon the Magisterial The next American Mail may be expected here Bench here for many years past, save Mr Francis, who would have taken upon himself the responsibility of allowing these THE delivery of the French Mail was begun men to leave the Court and go forth free, at 4.55 this evening. "there being not a tittle of evidence against them," as he said-" without DURING the Supreme Court Vacation a stain on their character" as it wereto work again their nefarious schemes (months of August and September) the in and about the waters of this Colony Offices of the Supreme Court will be open and the South-China Seas. Let us refrom 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. call to mind the facts as they were before the Court. While the Bowen was on THERE was no steamer for Macao to-day, her way from Singapore to this port the Company's White Cloud having had to certain conversation between some of remain in port 24 hours for survey under the passengers was overheard by a man the Merchant Shipping Consolidation Oron board who reported it to the compradore, which conversation was not com- | dinance. patible or consistent with any other state of facts than that a large number of THE M. M. Co.'s steamship Oxus, Captain the passengers from Singapore were G. Rapatel, from Marseilles with dates to would adopt in the matter. pirates, prepared with arms and every the 27th ultimo, and with the London Mail thing required for such a desperate unof the 25th June, arrived this afternoon dertaking, to piratically seize the ship her Singapore dates being the 26th ulto. The Singapore passengers were put under scrutiny with that utmost care The Straits Times Extra brings no new which alone the extreme peril of the telegrams worth producing which have not situation could inspire; and twenty-six already been published here. of them were found unprepared to give the slightest account of themselves; THE following Account, duly certified, of they had no baggage, they said; there was not 25 cents amongst the 26 of the Average Amount of Bank Notes in Cirthem. Diligent search being made there | culation in Hongkong during the Month were found on board, concealed about ending 80th June, 1880, is published in the those parts of the ship which these Gazette. men had occupied, boxes with eleven leaded revolvers, a large quantity of ammunition, a number of murderous Oriental,\$ cleavers, several formidable fighting Chart, M. of L. L. & U. Chart. of L., A. & C. 6.4,075 irons, and 25 packages of powder with H.K. & Shanghai, ... 1,421,251 a fuse attached to each, each package weighing one pound. The men who were unable to give any account of themselves were then placed Hongkong seems to be developing a notoarrest and were brought on riety as a suitable depot for extraordinary They, every one of them, from the first moment of their being quesimportations, as witness the Rhinoceros tioned to the last, maintained that whose burly form now fills a large space in inviolable silence, which is so discreet the City Hall, not far from the devil fish of a course, which is so powerful more recent celebrity, and other recent part of the equipment of a thorough events. To-day we have the announcement blackguard when he is on his defence. The evidence of the compradore of of two elephants brought up on "spec." from Siam. They are described as good Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co., who was warned by a man in the street that and hard working animals, "who know the Bowen was to be attacked; evidence of some suspicious junks with centimetres high; the female 1 metre, 80 a peculiar signal flag being outside Hongkong when the steamer Bowen centimetres high. They are now on view. was expected to arrive, might go for much in the minds of the public but for The Messageries Maritimes steamer Oxus little in the mind of the magistrate. with London dates of 25th June, arrived in These facts were, however, before his harbour this afternoon, overdue from Mar-Worship, on the testimony of Inspector seilles one day, and from Saigon, her last Lindsay, that two of the prisoners were port of call, two days. The Oxus has exold criminals. One of them was concerned in an armed attack in Kowloon City for which he was arrested in though there was nothing like a typhoon or The other man's anything of that kind. After leaving Saigen photograph stands in the case in the Charge-room as one who to cause the vessel to cast anchor for about deported from this Colony for some twenty-four hours, the weather being so transgression of the law. When the expected attack on the Kwangtung was fhick; it is reported, as to prevent any creating attention here, one of these bearings being taken. By exceful navigamen was about, and the police was on tion and a wise discretion exercised the ship his track. In face of all these facts the has been brought safely to her destination are discharged, "with not the slightest stain upon their character." without any mishap. The proceeding is so disappointing that An adjourned inquest was held this afterone can hardly believe in such a thing happening within a Colony where British

the steamer Elcano, on the 29th ultimo. Two more witnesses were examined, but Let us consider for a moment what their evidence only went to show that dethe Magistrate had it in his power to do, and what it was therefore in our opinion ceased had been engaged ciling some part simply his duty to do. By section of the machinery, that the lid of his oil-can 21 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1858, (an orhad fallen, and he had gone tlown below dinance for the regulation of the Chinese and for other purposes of presumably by the opening where the crank police) is is provided that "any Stipenworked to find the missing lid, and he was diary Magistrate or Justice of the Peace next found lying on the floor of the engine may cause any Chinese person to find room with the crank pressing on his body. reasonable security for his appearance His Worship the Coroner having pointed in any Court for any purpose, and at any time within twelve months, and lout to the jury, that there was no evidence |

Law rules, and a desire for British

Justice is supposed to find an abiding

coming from a high quarter, to every adjudication to that effect shall be forthcoming to shew how the deceased came enemy. The Wall is at Girishk, with an the effect that the Bowen case was made in open Court and reported forth- to be under that part of the machinery, and that there was nothing to show that any one had contributed in any way to his

> yesterday scutenced to twelve mouths' imprisonment by Mr Francis has created some comment. There appears to be an months bard labour is the utmost sentence one Magistrate can give. There is not a vestige of foundation for such a belief. The clause in the Ordinance is as clear on the point as possible. Section 41 of Ordinance he took charge of some hundreds of wound-

"Whosoever shall be convicted upon an information for a common assault shall be liable, at the discretion of the court, or of a Police-Magistrate, to be imprisoned for any term not exceeding one year, with or without bard labour."

We are not aware whether the facts or

or were not within the Migistrate's know ledge, but they seem to us to carry the that the man's behaviour while in Gaol had | lieve, been decided on, been of the worst possible description; if this man within the walls of his establis' ment again unless under a conviction for ported the lying charge against Colon one of the Military Police who gave him | communication in case of war. in charge. For this he has been smartly but steamer Robilla. She will bring on Lon-

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

don advices to the 2nd July.

steamer Belgic.

to next English Mail may be expected here

on Thursday or Friday next, by the P. & O.

on or about the 14th inst., per O. & O.

we think not too severely sentenced. The peace loving community, those who have advices they have received from French respect for law and order, will be the last to complain of any disreputable bully. whatever his nation, being handled by the week to propose a law providing for the Court with that roughness the case demands. As elephants are not to be tickled with straws, so are hardened blackguards not to be seared by a month in gaol. Ir will be seen from the papers to hand by the present Trench Mail that in the House of Lords, the question of the alleged

Domestic Slavery having been brought forward by the Lord Stanley of Alderley, the Earl of Kimberley stated that until he received the grounds on which the Chief Justice of Hongkong had given an extrajudicial opinion that the nurchase of children for adoption was contrary British law, the Attorney-General of the colony having given a different opinion, he could not state what course Government

9th, when one Shalk Hussein Bundershaw was being cross-examined by Mr Cassinath Gadghil, the following was ellcited :---Mr Cassinath: -- You know me very well. Witness:--Yes! You were sugaged to

defend me in the Sessions Court, and because you did not attend, I got three years. (laughter.)

against sou? minor—under 14 years.—(Stand down).— Decoan Herald, July 10.

Specie in

Keserve.

noon at the Magistracy, to enquire into the

cause of death of a Malay fireman on board

FOURTEEN captains of transatlantic steamers have been brought up before the Courts 200,000 in the United States for carrying more emigrants than the American law allows. The law provides that a vessel measuring so many cubic feet between decks may carry Total,.....\$3,294,369 \$1,800,000 so many passengers and not another one. The accused captains reply that the law is different in the countries from which they came, and they threaten to appeal to their Governments. Hence arises a conflict of international jurisdiction which the Cabinet at Washington proposes to avoid for the future. by asking that a Maritime Congress shall be convoked for the settlement of uniform conditions to be observed by all vessels, whatever their nationality may be, as regards the number of emigrants and their treatment on board with respect to food, ventilation, separation of the sexes, etc. The public mind has been greatly excited upon the subject, owing to the many deaths that have ocmany tricks." The male is 1 metre, 50 curred upon the passage, particularly among children, upon the German and English

> From the latest files to hand to-day we cut an item or two which may be read in connection with the recent telegram of the annihilation of a British Brigade at Kaudahar :-

Kandahar, July 7.—There is no longer perlenced dirty weather to an extreme, al- any doubt about Ayub Khan having left Herat with all his force: and though it seems doubtful whether he will be able to get as far as Kandahar territory, a jorse the rain-storms she met with were such as has been warned for Girishk to oppose him. I believe it will consist of a battery of Horse Arthlery, 3rd Cavalry, 3rd Sind Horse, 66th Foot, 1st Grenadiers, and Jacob's Rifles, under the command of Brigadier General Burrows. The Candahar News of July 2, says:

For several days, there has been a report in the city that Ayoob Khan, who is supposed to have left Herat on the 9th of June, had arrived at Barah with a large force some days ago. This we treated as one of the many shaves flying about the camp and city, but the report has now been confirmed; and, although the strongth of the troops with Ayoob has bee much exegger ated, and is not yet correctly ascertained. he is supposed to have 4,000 infantry, 800 cavalry, and 80 guns, and to have advanced on this side of Farah. What Ayoob's intentions are remain to be seen, but the following troops are under orders to leave Candahar in the direction of Girishk at a moment' notice :-E.-B., R.H.A., 3rd Light Cavalry, and 3rd Sind Horse, under the command of General Nuttal: 6 Companies. 66th Foot, 1st Granadiers, Jacob's Rifles, and 40 Sappers—the whole under the

command of General Burrows. The excitement this morning in camp the thought of having a brush with the | recommended for adoption,

ing Ayoob Khan's movements.

wing of the 4th Rifles has been ordered forward from Quetta, escorting ordnance stores, and leaves immediately. A wing of the 2nd Beloochis has been ordered o Candahar from Khelat-I-Ghilzal, and is now on its way.

(L. & C. Express.) The War Office has been recommended to arrange for the better defence of the colony of Hongkong, and it has therefore been decided to proceed at once with the erection of a submarine mining establish-

Mr Henry Slade, fleet surgeon, whose name appears in the list of officers retired. served in the Hermes during the attacks on piratical junks in the China sea, and at the slaughter amongst the Chinese at Amoy during the Taiping rebellion, where ed Chinamen Lieut, H. L. Ryder, commander of the

Merlin, tender to the Hercules, at Greenock, who died last week, was a nephew of Admiral Ryder, and commanded the despatch vessel Vigilant, when he was Commander-in-Chief on the China station. Capt. J. W. F. Buxton, 27th Inniskil lings, who has been posted for duty as garrison instructor at York, left Dublin on

The medal for long service and good | ... conduct has been awarded to J. A. Evans, quartermaster of the Flying Fish. His Excellency Chau Phya Bhanuwongand to justify to a very great degree the see Maha Kosa Thibodi, whose probable

sa he represented bimself to be, he should be profficial canacity, is again at Kashgaria, ment are, in my opinion, bound in honour to referred to the Consul for the United States; his object being to ascertain the exact state | replace the money stolen by the Court offiwant to bare such a disorderly person as Indian Government, and to provide in- will be raised against such action being creased facilities for trade.

being a rogue and a vagabond. The next on the 23rd inst. was attended by the mem- honour and fairdealing than he could acwe hear of Williams is that he was turned | bers of the Siamese Embassy, the Chinese | complish by five years of administration | out of the consulate neck and crop. Of Minister, and the Marchioness Tseng, and upon the usual official lines. such bright specimens of humanity are the Japanese Minister and Madame Maury, Russian subjects are reported to have

Mosby, the other day. Latterly we hear | been imprisoned and tortured by a Chinese of some upprovoked assaults by this bully, Provincial Governor. The Telegraph lines one on a civilian who was knocked down on the Chinese frontier are to be extended and does not appear in the case, the other in order to afford increased facilities of

Messrs. Allan, the owners of a Transatlantic line of steamers, draw attention to correspondents stating that the French Government intend during the present payment of one and a half francs per ton on every ton of new shipping built in France for each thousand miles traversed in voyages to and from France. This would be equivalent to a bounty of about £2,000 tor voyages on the class of steamers the Messrs. Allan employ between France and South America. It is further stated that some of the large Freuch shipping companies have arranged to double their

fleets as soon as the new law is passed. Latest Mail Advices :- Yokohama (via San Francisco) May 12, Shaughai May 3, Foochow April 29, Hongkong May 8. The French mail, with the advices dated as above, from Ohina and the Straits Settlements, was delivered, via Naples, on its due date, the 16th inst. The advices from Japan, via San Francisco, were received on the 21st inst. The next inward P. & O. mail will reach Loudon this evening, via Brindisi. The following French mail was In Colonel Britten's Court yesterday, July despatched from Suez, per Messageries Maritimes steamer Petho, on the 22nd inst. two days in advance of due date.

(Overland Mail, June 25.) In the House of Commons, on the 25th June, in answer to Mr Mark Stewart, who asked a question as to a petition stated to have been presented by the natives of Mr Cassinath: What was the charge British Burmah for the closing of opium stealing a piece of wood shops, the Marquis of Hartington said: also admitted two previous convictions and Witness :- Because I kiduapped a girl, a No copy of the petition said to have been was now sentenced to three months' impripresented to the Chief Commissioner has sonment with hard labour. been received, and no reference to such petition can be traced in the proceedings of the Administration of British Burmah or of the Government of India. In the annual revenue report for British Burmah just received, I find that two commissioners, of Aracan and of Pegu, refer to the great and injurious increase in the consumption of opium, and say that both the officials and the people themselves demand measures to check it. It appears, therefore, that the subject is receiving attention.

Chan Phya Bhanuwongse, Siamese Ambassador Extraordinary, and suite arrived in London on June 19. His Excellency was received at Dover by Mr H. A. Cockerell, of the Foreign Office.

RAMBLING RHYMES. Has all the world gone mad? or has this isle-On which till lately Fortune seemed to smile-Been by some outraged, wizard's spell bewitched. And into Pandemonium's circle pitched ! These constant squabbles, bickerings, and blunders Show-just as clearly as do Heaven's thunders-The presence of the lightning,-that our reason Has by some means been banished for a season. Let's hope 'twill soon return, but there's no

When Yankee Consuls take to assegaving-What aberrations we may yet deplore, Or what surprises Fate has still in store. If I were not so modest, I'd address A short remonstrance to the Daily Press. And ask him to inform us why the devil He does his utmost to increase the evil By placing every day before his readers Such purcling nonconse in the shape of "lead-

Gad though! I must commend his paragraphing. The Devil himself, could scarcely keep from

If he would every now and then peruse Those columns set apart for local news! And how that same uncanny creature's eyes Must sparkle with a sort of glad surprise Whone'er he peeps, with quiet unobtrusion, On this misgoverned hotbed of "confusion." But I'm prevented now by want of time From saying all I'd like to say in rhyme : There's one thing really the' I must remark, And then I'll finish (for 'lis getting dark); I've travelled far and wide, yet never saw A Court-" Supreme"-in anything but Law. Till tother day, when ours upset the rule, And shone " Supreme" as food for ridicule Heaven from all creatures hides the book

So possibly it isn't, yet too late To mand our ways; with foolery dispense; And thus restore the reign of common sense.

Hongkoug, August 8rd; 1680.

Some inquiries have lately been conducted at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley. as to the relative efficiency of various aubstauces used as filtering agents. The chief object of the experiments made was to discover the best filtering material for use in the army and navy. The conclusion come to was that carferal, a mixture of carbon. is iron, and aluminia, was better than silicated great, and everybody is in high spirits at carbon; and carferal has accordingly been

Law Notices. IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. In the House of Lords on the 18th June, Lord Stanley of Alderley rose to call the

(Before the Hon. Francis Snowden and Special Jury).-Hearing. Wednesday, Ang. 4. ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.-Suit No. 10,

Kwan Hoi Chune and ors. v. Fong Sui Fung and oral

CORRESPONDENCE WHAT NEXT?

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL" Sir,-The undersigned is prepared to present a piece of plate to any one (other than an officer of the "Government Botanical Garden Department") who can give th best answer to the question as to "Why our respected Governor was pleased to have the professional report of the Superintendent of the Public Gardens about his Department published in the last number of the Government Gazette, some nine months and a half after it was written by the late assistant of Sir Joseph Hooker." As H. E. has an object in every thing he docs, what is his object in the present

"ANTI-HUMBUG."

WHO'S TO PAY?

To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL."

August 3, 1880. taken. Why not, therefore, do so at once? The State Ball at Buckingham Palace | The Governor would thus do more for British

> SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION. (Before His Honor the Puisne Judge.

, F. Snowden). Tuesday, August 3. Chan Cheung v. Alabor, \$3 -This was claim for wages as house boy, from the 10th

till the 30th July, at \$6 per month. Plaintiff in his statement set forth that bis master discharged him on account of some misrepresentation made to him by a Portuguese woman who lives in a street nearly opposite the Commissariat Establish-

The defendant said, the boy was so frequently absent from his duty, and was also disobedient that he discharged him. Denot get into his own house, through the boy being out and having the keys with him. His Lordship informed the plaintiff that when a servant is discharged in the middle of a month for misconduct or disobedience of orders he forfeits his wages; and on the other hand, if a master dismisses a servant in the middle of a month without due cause. he will have to pay him his full month's wages. In this case, plaintiff had been

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. Ng Choy.) Tuesday, August 3rd. THEFT OF WOOD.

Wong Ahoi, a shop-keeper, was charged this case, as she had given instead of reexecution of his duty on the 2nd inst. Road West, where he saw a crowd of about priving the women of money which had 50 persons. The defendant was amongst been given to them. Such is the haphazird them and was apparently engaged in some | way of proceeding of these informers, and struck him in the eye with his fist. on the shoulder with his staff and he only I tried to ward off a second blow.

DRUNK AND DISORDEELY. John Murray, a rigger, unemployed, was charged with being drunk and disorderly in the public streets on the 2nd inst. Defendant admitted being drunk, and the constable who arrested him said he quiet, being sound asleep in the street. he was simply fined 25 cents, in default one day's imprisonment.

STREET GAMBLING. Chun Ayau, and Chan Ayau, two coolies, were charged with street gambling and causing an obstruction in the public street on the 2nd inst. The first defendant said he went to gamble, but he did not conduct the game. The second said he was merely looking

The first was fined in the sum of \$5. ten days' imprisonment; the second \$2, or five days' imprisonment with hard labour.

BREACH OF THE OFIUM ORDINANCE. Cheung Kin-fat, a fisherman, was charged with being in possession of a quantity of permit from the Opium Farmer. Upon the application of Mr. Wotton the

case was remanded till Monday next, the 9th instant, bail being accepted in \$200.

A GOOD deal of surprise has been expressed, at home, at the frequent prohibition of Attorney-General. A Chinese society for private and ordinary commercial advertise- the protection of women and children was ments in the Russian Press by the authori- organized under the auspices of two police ties. The secret is now revealed. Among the papers seized by the police on various occasions there have been found regular codes of signals, by which important messages from Nihilist to Nibilist can be conveyed, even in the official journals, by Chinamen. The Spaniards in Manila have means of apparently harmless advertise- found it answer very well to give some ments. The appouncement of a coming authority and a staff of office to Chinese auction of furniture really meant a coming heamen, and if this method were adopted attempt by the conspirators; and even the at Singapore and Penang, similar good inmost life of the Imperial Palaces was results would follow. Meantime, the Chief made public by seeming references to com. | Justice (fir John Smale) came into action mercial and trading interests. It is whis- and delivered a judgment from the Bench pered, however that the police usually of the Supreme Court against the whole stop the advertisements now, just when practice of the Chinese of purchasing either they contain nothing illicit whatever.

KONG.

attention of the House to the differences of

opinion between the Attorney-General and the Governor of Hongkong, and between the Attorney-General and the Chief Justice of Hongkong, as to the purchase and detention of children and so-called demestic servitude in Hongkong; and to the report of the Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Hongkong to inquire into the working of the Contagious Diseases Ordinance of 1867. His lerdship said:-In calling your lordships' attention to this subject I shall not have occasion to remark upon anything more ursavoury than the conduct of some of the police and officials of Hongkong. I am going to confine myself to the treatment of the Chinese, and to complain of the conduct of some police. officials, and I shall ask the Secretary of Sta e to support the report of Mr Pope Hennesay's Commissioners. The papers to which I ask attention are reports of Commissioners appointed by the Governor of Hongkong in November 1877 to inquire into the working of the Contagious Diseases Ordinances.) I am glad of this opportunity of testifying to the good service rendered in this matter by the Governor, Mr Pope Hennessy, since the colonial newspapers have lately attacked him f r disturbing that colony, and if the other matters which he has disturbed, and for which he has been complained of, are like the abuses reported in these papers, he is deserving of the highest praise. This report has been laid Licensing Or inance, even if such protec Sir.—The creditors at Home and class- | before the other House on a motion of Mr. a cursory reader as somewhat severe. The announced in our last, arrived on that day, the failure of Lyall, Still & Co., and the sub- the strongest opponent of the Acts in and has been received at the Foreign Office. | Bequent dishonesty of an officer of the Hong- | question; hitherto I have been in favour of man now souteneed. Williams, is a bully We understand that his Excellency will be kong Government, must surely feel much them, but these Acts will become impossible and a loafer who was deported from Yoko- received by the Queen on the 2nd prox., relieved on being informed, through your if they are to be accompanied by the hama and has just served a sentence of when he will invest Her Majesty with the columns, that Sir John Smale takes upon tyranny and official corruption set forth is three months in the Gaol bere. He applied Order of the White Elephant. The date himself the entire responsibility of the this report; a tyrauny which has for its for lodgings in the Gaol as a Destitute. of the investiture of his Royal Highness | Court, as all officers of the Department are | object to increase the revenue, and not the the Superintendent of the Gaol reported the Prince of Wales has not yet, we be- simply to do his bidding. If further litiga- sanitary objects which could alone justify tion now follows, the learned Chief Justice | the passing of these Acts and Ordinances. Mr. Ney Elias, the frontier political offi- may discover that he has made an unfortu- The report states (p. 16) that it was shown the man was a destitute american seaman, | cer. who visited Yarkand last year in an | nate admission. The Hongkong Govern- "that revenue would be de ived from the tainted sources of prostitution amongst the Chinese, while it had been decided not to as the Superintendent of the Gaol did not of affairs there, for the information of the cial, and I believe that not a single voice enforce against the houses for the Chin se only those sanitary clauses of the Ordinance which formed its only raison d'étre." This statement of the report is confirmed by the large sum mentioned-\$111,149 profitwhich has accrued to the colonial treasur, from this source from 1857 to 1877. It is this raising of revenue, of liceusing and of recognising as a condition or profession, which is demoralising, and which has made this system so hateful in France. When Vespasian replied to the remonstances of his more acrupulous and sensitive son, "Non elet nummus." he referred to material, not to moral taint. The raising of revenue, moreover, always brings with it

the use of informers and spies. These, again, are most hateful in France, and it resorted to in this country the Acts would It appeared that It was the practice not be tolerated any longer. But at Hongkong spies and informers have flourished for adoption into a family, and a sum of beyond anything known elsewhere. Some of the metropolitan police have been drafted off to Hongkong to assist in the pursuit of himself in an extra-judicial opinion very ment, and he declined to pay him a cent of unfortunate women, and higher officials appear to have joined in the chase, as a pastime apparently. Such is the terror inspired by these informers that in 1877 two women in trying to escape from them fendant frequently came home and could fell over the roofs of their houses, and were killed outright. The inquest on them gave rise to this inquiry. In other years several women risked their lives by escaping through windows from the inspectors, and several were severely injured by falls. It is the practice of those informers to offer marked dollars to Chinese women, and if accepted | ter. he was not able to give any informato prosecute them; though the report tion as to the course the Government would states that there is "most serious sus- adopt. At the same time, he might say picion whether the money was not placed that this institution had existed from time clearly guilty of disobedience of orders, and by the informers where the inspector immemorial, and they must be overful not could find it, or that it was not given to confound the habits and institutions of for the purposes subsequently deposed to." ing Registrar-General personally acted as detective and secured a conviction by means of Chinese society. As to the other branch of a European constable. In the following of the noble lord's subject, that referring to year a woman was fined by the action, as the report of the Commissioners appointed informers and detectives, of the inspector, to enquire into the Ordinance of 1867, the Court. This bailiff of the Supreme Court had arisen in connection with some branch-Yum Asin, a coolie, pleaded guilty to had received a diamond ring from this wo- os of the aubject. He was able to exonerman, so that he must have been guilty ato the police entirely. He could not state either of having received a bribe, or else the practices in detail, they were so revoltwhat is worse, of having betrayed a woman ing. It must, however, be said that some to whom he was indebted. It is not clear time ago the Governor put a stop to inon what grounds the woman was fined, as the usual order of things was reversed in

with assaulting a constable while in the ceiving the diamond ring, and the report does not state in whose possession the P.C. No. 78. William Beckett, said he was | diamond ring remained eventually, though on duty at 9 o'clock last night in Queen's it complains of the police for illegally deargument. He, witness, motioned with his so much do they invade, and break into staff for them to go away, when defendant | private houses, that in 1872 and 1874 the inspectors arrested three girls; subse-Defendant said the constable struck him | quently it was proved conclusively that they were immaculate and innocent and had never been otherwise later on. I would Fined \$2, in default, four days' impri- ask whether Inspectors Horton and Whitehead, who figured in these affairs, had belonged to the Metropolitan Police? The report dwells at length on the great difference between the Chinese houses and those used by Europeans, and on the fact that the Chinese houses are not dealt with from a sanitary point of view, and it recommends that they should continue to be let alone, and therefore not be subjected to taxation. But, it is said. it is in the interest of philanthropy that these Chinese houses should be licensed, for the sake of the protection of Chinese women and children No such protection, however, has been afforded by the police, and the Attorney General refused to extend his protection when it was required, and bad been called for by the Governor of Hongkong. A Chinaman, under stress of poverty, had sold his daughter, sged six years, to another Chinese, in October, 1877; in 1878 he claimed her back, having reason to fear that the purchaser was going to sell her and ship her away to another port. The father petitioned the Governor for the re storation of his child, the purchaser also netition him against being deprived of the child. The Governor called the attention of the prepared opium on the 2nd inst. without a Attorney-General to what appeared to him to be an illegal transaction. The Attorney-

General denied that there was any lilegality May S1. The Governor, June 19, nineteen days later, desired the Attorney-General to prosecute the purchaser of the girl on his behalf. This the Attorney-General declined to do t after that there was more correspondence tetween the Governor and the magistrates and Dr Eitel, at the instinction of the Governor. Mr Pope Hennessy has taken the right method of dealing with the Chinese, in instituting this society, and in asking for the co-operation of the leading male or female children, and stated that

ALLEGED SLAVERY IN HONG | there were ten thousand slaves in Hongkong; and that all slavery-domestic, agrarian, or for immoral purposes-cones within one and the same category. the also inflicted some very heavy sentences of eighteen months with hard labour on two women for detaining a boy of thirteen, he Chief Justice also expressed his wish for the committal to trial, and for the opportunity of sentencing a druggist who had bought an orphan boy f r seven cen and a-balf dollars, who had remained with him as his servant about twenty days. The Chinese Committee, members and leading merchants then presented a petition, which very ably stated all the facts of a subject which has been looked upon with such different eyes by the Attorney-Seneral and the Chief Justice, and Dr Eitel made an equally able report upon this petition. Now, there can be little doubt that the ttorney-General was wrong in his British law, and wrong in declining to curry out the Minute of the Governor. The Attorney-General ought to air his habeas corpus more frequently; habeas corpus is often referred to in the correspondence, and that instrument ought to have been used; in this case, in which the Governor called upon him to act, the purchaser of the girl was about to commit a breach of Chinese law and custom if he was going to send away the child from his house. Every Chinese woman or child in Hongkong ought to be able to cling to the skirts of the Attorney-General and find safety under British law. If that were so, and with the help of the Society instituted by Mr Pope Hennessy, the degrading protection of the tion existed, would be unnecessity. On the ther hand, the Chief innice, I regret to say, has rushed into wild exaggeration. If his judgment were to be carried out he would be separating many married couples. and dissolving what are after all apprendiceships, which are b neficial to all parties. I have been authorised by responsible persons in the Chinese Embassy in London to state that the Uniness cus om of purchasing children is most beneficial to humanity, and that it is the greatcheck on infauticide, especially female infan icide. That which heard at the chinese Embassy is set out in the petition of the Chinese of H ingkong, and in Dr. Eitel's report. I must say that Hongkong is to be congratulated on the possession of Dr. Eitel. I know nothing more of him than what I find in the official papers. He is a man of enlarged mind, well acquainted with Chinese customs, and desirous of acting in harmony with them, and of improving them where possible; and I entreat the Secretary of State for the Ocionies to give the atmost attention to his recommendations.

The Earl of Kimberley replied that the correspondence desired by the noble lord would be produced. The question to which he had referred had created much interest in the colony of Hongkong. The first related to the mode of dealing with the Chinese institution of domestic servitude. of the Chinese to purchase children money was paid on the occasion. A case having arisen, the Chief Justice expressed strongly that both these practices were contrary to English law against slavery and the slave trade. The Governor of Hongkong had taken this opinion into consideration, and ordered a prosecution; but the Attorney General differed from them, and the acting Attorney General had since taken a similar view. The point being one of very great difficulty, he (Lord Kimberley) had written to the Governor requesting him to forward the Chief Justice's opinion. That being the position of the matthe people with what prevailed in other The report also states that in 1861 the not- parts of the world. The custom of adoption was deeply interwoven with the forms a policeman, and the balliff of the Supreme noble Earl remarked that great difficulty spection, and it was no longer in force. To prevent the kidnapping of girls an offer had been made by some Chinese gentlemen to form themselves into a society to put it

down, and of this he entirely approved. The whole question would require the most careful consideration of the Government.

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envelope being invariably forwarded w such application unless It also is lost. 4. That the Postmaster General is sai fied that the loss occurred whilst the corr poudence was in the custody of the Britis Postal administration in China, that it t not caused by any fault on the part of sender, by destruction by fire, or shipwree

nor by the disho esty or negligence of a person not in the employment of Hongkong Post Office. 5. No compensation can be paid for me damage to fragile articles such as portra watches, handsomely bound books, & which reach their destination, although a broken or deteriorated condition.

Money Order Regulations Money Orders are exchanged w the United Kingdom, New South Wa Queensland, South Australia and I Darwin, the Straits Settlements, Wester Australia, and (except at Shanghai) w the Japanese Empire. Hongkong a issues orders on Shanghal, and vice vers 2 —Small sums may be remitted between the other Ports by means of Post

Stamps, subject to a charge of one cent, for eashing them. 3. - Many Money Orders are supplied residents at the smaller Ports in this way. An application for an order* is filled up. and is enclosed with a stamped directed,

and unsealed envelope to the Postmaster at the nearest issuing office. The application must be accompanied with the full amount (including commission) in cheque, postage stamps, or other equivalent of cash, and a little margin should be left for variations of exchange. The Postmaster issues the order, sends it on in the envelope, and returns the change, if any, by first opportunity, with a receipt for the letter, if it were to be registered, as it always should be. Care should be taken to send these applications in time, as the Money Order Offices close some hours before the departures of the mails.

4.-No order must exceed £10, or \$50, or include any fraction of a penny, nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payce, by the same mail. Orders will be drawn at the current rate of the day; and paid at the rate of the day when the advice arrived.

The commission is as follows:---Orders on the United Kingdom.

Up to £2...... 18 cents. **^,, £**5.......36 ,, "£7..........54 ,, £10......72 ,, Local and Intercolonial Orders. Up to \$25 or £5.....25 cents. ,, \$50 or £10....50 ,,

5.—Lists of Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom may be consulted at 6.—Names must be given in full (except when there is more than one Christian

name) but the name of the Payes need not be given if the order be crossed (as cheques are crossed). It can then be paid only through a Bank, and may afterwards be specially crossed to any Bank. 7 .- No order can be paid till the Payer has algued it in the proper place. order can be transferred to another office

Made out on a printed form which is supplied Local Orders on Shanghai are drawn at 2 p cent. premium in all cases. A fixed dolhar rate for drawing on the United Kingdom is in force at Shanghai.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked h., near the Kowloong shore k., and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

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